-RUSSELL & Co. February 14, PHRA CHULA CHOM KLAO, British steamor 1,012, A. Benson, Bangkok 7th or £11 4.6 February, Rice. - YUEN FAT HONG. February 14, FORMOSA, British steamer, 674. T. Hall, Tamsui, Amoy, and Swatow 13th at death if previous. February, General.—DougLAS LAPRAIR & FTER being three years in force, each

February 14, Anton, German steamer, 396, E Aerebee, Pakhoi 11th February, and Hoi- proportionate part of Sum Assured as explained how 13th, General - WIELER & Co. February 14, JOHANN, German steamer, 428, H. Binge, Pakhoi and Hoihow 18th Feb. General.-WIELER & Co. future payments.

February 14, CITY OF PEKING, Amr. str., 5,079, W. H. Seabury, San Francisco 15th Jan. (b) £11.5.0, (c) £19.2.4, (d) £27.08 per quarter. ral.-P. M. S. S. Co. CLEARANCES. AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE.

Kwang-lee, Chinese str., for Shanghai. Cardiganshire, British str., for Nagasaki. Phra Chom Klao, British str., for Bangkok. Tikeang, British str., for Shanghai. Activ, Danish str., for Hollow. Almanack. Mail Tables for 1889.

DEPARTURES. February 14, GLENAVON, British steamer, for February 14, ANTENOR, British steamer, for Shanghai.

February 14. CARDIGANSHIRE, British str., for Japan. February 14, KWANG-LEE, Chinese steamer, for Shanghai.

PASSENGERS.

Per Diamante, str., from Manila.-Mr. and Mrs. Brown and servant, Mr. and Mrs. Willon child, and servent, Messrs, Kenzo, and Ratumal, and 12 Chinese. Per Formesa, str., from Tamsni, &c.-Messrs. Lautz. C. H. Best, and de Gelves, Dr. de Groot and 34 Chinese. Per City of Peking, str., from San Francisco &c .- Dr. R. H. Kimball and native servant Messrs. G. H. Stowbridge, A. Vantine, and G. J. G. Makin.

REPORTS. The German steamer Johann, from Pakhei and Holhow 13th February, reports had fine weather and light monsoon.

The British steamer Diamante, from Manila 11th February, reports had light to moderate monsoon and fine weather throughout,

The British steamer Formosa, from Tamsui Amoy, and Swatow 13th February, reports from Tamsui to\_Amoy and thence to-Swatow-light variable winds and clear weather. From Swatow to port moderate N.E. to E. winds and smooth sea. In Swatow str. Sungkiang.

The British steamer Phra Chom Klac, from Bangkok 7th February, reports on the 7th and 8th February, had light N.E. wind. On the 9th blowing strong from N.E. to E.N.E. On the blowing a gale of wind and heavy head sea up to Cape Varels; from thence to port moderate to fresh breeze.

The American steamer City of Peking reports -Left San Francisco 15th January, and had strong westerly gale and heavy sea to within 150 miles of port; since then heavy N.E. gale, with thick weather. Left Yokohama on the 9th February, and had thick rainy weather to Van 211. Diemen's Straits; light northerly winds and fine weather through Eastern Sen to Turnsbout; thence strong N.E. monsoon and fine weather to

SHANGHAI SHIPPING.

January-28, Pao Hua, British str., from Hankow. 28, Wha-on, British str., from Hankow. 29. Kiang-teen, Chinese str., from Ningpo. 29. Cass. British str., from Ningpo. 29, Taku, British str., from Foochow. 29. Yangtsze, German str., from Hongkong. 29. Loongwha, British bark, from Nagasaki. 29. Store Nordiske, Dan. str., from a cruise. 29. Sea Swallow, British bk., from K'chinetza. 30, Tungchow, British str., from Ningpo. 30, Sual, British str., from Hankow. 30. Yehsin, Chinese str., from Chefoo. 31. Kiang-teen, Chinese str., from Ningpo. 31, Braunschweig, German str., from Bremen 31, Chungking, British str., from Chefoo. 31, Poo-chi, Chinese str., from Chefoo. 31, Pekin, British str., from Hankow, February-1, Yuen Wo, British str., from Hankow,

1. Yiksang, British str., from Nagasaki. I. Melbourne, French str., from Kobe. 2. Kiang-kwan, Chinese str., from Hankow. 2, Kiang-yung, Chinese str., from Hankow, 2, Yoritomo-marn, Jap. str., from Kuchinotes. 2, Kung-pai, Chinese str., from Kelung. 2, Jason, British str., from Liverpool: 2, Kwang-lee, Chinese str., from Hongkong 3, Hever, German str., from Nagasaki. 3, Cito, German str., from Nagasaki. 3, Feima, British str., from Tamsui, 3. Chefoe, British str., from Swatow. Walter Siegfried, Brit. bk., from Nagasaki. Wismar, German str., from Nagasaki. Chi-yuen, Chinese str., from Nagasaki. Ingo, German str., from Nagasaki. Diemnah, French str., from Hongkong. 5, Tokio maru, Jap. str., from Yokohama. 5, Kung Wo, British str., from Hankow. 5. Newchwang, British str., from Swatow. Kaifong, British str., from Swatow. . Strathleven Britishstr., from Shimonoseki Wuchang, British str., from Ningpo. 8, Glenavon, British str., from Kobe.

, Satsuma, British bark, from Kelung:

January DEPARTURES. 29 Kiang foo, Chinese str., for Hankow 29, Fushun, Chinese str., for Hongkong. 29, Moyane, British str., for Kobe. 29, Ningpo, German str., for Hongkong. 29, King-teen, Chinese str., for Ningpo. 29, Omahe, Amr. corvette, for Chemulpo. 30, Tameni, British str., for Swstow. 30, Patroclus, British str., for London. 30, Ngankin, British str., for Hankow. 30, Wnchang, British str., for Ningpo. 30. Taku, British str., for Nagasaki. 31. Taiwo, British str., for Hankow. 31, Yokoharoa-maru, Jap. str., for Japan. February-

1, John E. Sayre, British ship, for Hakedate. 1, Pao Hua, British str., for Hankow. 1. Alwine Seyd, German str., for Nagasaki. Canton, British steamer, for Wahn. 1. Yiksang, British str., for Amoy. 2. Oxus, French str., for Hongkong. 4. Crusader, British str., for Kutchinetzu. 4, Marion, Amr. corvette, for Hongkong. 5, Hever, German steamer, for Nagasaki. 5, Cito, German etr , for Nagasaki. 5, Kiang yu, Chinese atr., for Hankow. Hae-ting, Chinese str., for Ningpo. Cass, Chinese str.; for Ningpo. Diemnah, French str., for Kobe. Ingo, German str., for Nagasaki. Dencalion, British str., for London. Choy Sang, British str., for Amoy. Hothow, British str., for Swatow. Shanghai, British str., for Hankow.

, Busl, British str., for Hankow.

6, Mutine, British sloop, for Chinking.

6, Wuchang, British str., for Ningpo.

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" OPTHALMIC OPTICIANS. London, Calcutta, and Bombay Hongkong, 12th February, 1889. MATDLLE, CHEVALLIER, College Cham-IVI. bers, Wyndham Street, being about to leave the Colony will sell at a very great reduction in price, her Stock of DRESSES, MANTLES, HATS, &c. Must be cleared before 26th instant, Hongkong 12th February, 1889.

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION IN LIQUIDATION. NOTICE TO CREDITORS. PAYMENT OF 6TH DIVIDEND.

A 6TH DIVIDEND of 61 per Cent on all Claims against the Hongkong Branch of THE OBIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, which have been approved by the Court of Chancery will be paid at the Offices of the NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED, on and after MONDAY, THE 17TH MARCH NEXT. Creditors are requested to apply to the Bank for their Dividends and to produce the letter they hold from the Official Liquidator admitting their Claims in order that the payment of the 6th Dividend may be endorsed thereon,

PAYMENT OF FINAL DIVIDEND IN ADVANCE UNDER DISCOUNT.

The Official Liquidator, by arrangement with the Assets Realisation Co. is prepared to 5, Yoritomo-maru, Jap. str., for Kutchinotsu. pay in advance to Creditors willing to receive such payment in FULL DISCHARGE OF THEIR CLAIMS the Dividend of 5 per cent payable in the year 1890, UNDER A DISCOUNT OF FIVE. TWELFTHS PER CENT Creditors who are willing to accept payment of the Final Dividend less discount as above are requested to communicate with the undersigned

BREORE THE END OF THE CURRENT MONTH. E. W. RUTTER Agent for the Official Liquidator Oriental Bank Corporation in Liquidation. 2, Queen's Road.

Hongkorg, 6th February, 1889,

for the Meeting. RULE 16 -Tickets of Admission to the Grand Standard Enclosure to be had on application to E. W. RUTTER, Esq., Honorary Treasurer. No oue admitted without a Ticket, to be shewn to the GATE-KERPER. H. J. H. TRIPP,

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THE TWENTIETH ORDINARY AN

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COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

Central, on MONDAY, the 25th instant, at

THREE P.M., for the purpose of receiving the

Report of the Directors, and Statement of

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company

D. GILLIES,

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NOTICE. NUAL MEETING OF SHARE HOLDERS in the above Company, will be held at the Offices of the General Agents, Ped-HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK der's Street, on MONDAY, the 18th of February, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving Report from the General Agents, with a Statement of Accounts to the 31st December, 18-8. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company FINE ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING will be CLOSED from the 5th to the 18th A or SHAREHOLDERS will be held in of February, both days inclusive the Offices of the Company. No. 14, Praya

JARDINE MATHESON & Co., General Agents. Hongkong, 4th February, 1889. THE SONGEL KOYAH PLANTING COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE STATUTORY GENERAL MEET. I. ING of this Company will be held at the HONGKONG HOTEL, on TUESDAY, the 19th inst., at 12.30 P.M. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

General Managers. Hongkong, 5th February, 1889. THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

GENERAL MEETING OF THE NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. SHAREHOLDERS of the Company will be held on MONDAY, the 25th instant, at FIHE TWENTIETH ORDINARY La MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held the Company's Office, No. 5, Queen's Read, V Acria, at THREE O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON JESDAY, the 19th February, 1889, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts, and the P O B T Report of the Directors for the year ending 31st December, 1888. Analysed and Certificated by PROFESSOR

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the | ompany will be CLOSED from the 6th Proximo to the 19th Proximo, both days inclusive By Order, JAS. B. COUGHTRIE.

Hongkong, 28th January, 1889. THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

N EXTRAORDINARY MEETING of A SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Company's Office, No. Queen's Road, Victoria, at 3.15 O'CLOCK P.M., of the 19th day of February, 1889, when the subjoined Resolution will be proposed.

RESOLUTION. That Article No. 9 of the Articles of Association be altered by eliminating therefrom the words "One Hundred Thousand" and substituting therefor the words "One Hunared and Fifty Thousand." By Order,

JAS. B. COUGHTRIE. Hongkong, 28th January, 1889. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the ORDIN-ARY YEARLY MEETING of the TREMS-One third the purchase money to be paid on the fall of the hammer, the balance on | SHAREHOLDERS in this Corporation will delivery. Delivery to be taken within 48 hours. be held at the CITY HALL, Hongkong, on 1295 SATURDAY, the 23rd day of February next. at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 18-8. By Order of the Court of Directors.

> Chief Manager, Hongkong, 25th January, 1889. HONGKUNG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the RE-GISTERS OF SHARES of the Corporation will be CLOSED from SATUR-DAY, the 9th to SATURDAY, the 23rd UNTRIMMED HATS and BONNETS, February next (both days inclusive), during ORSETS, SILKE, DRESSMATERIALS, which period No Transfer of Shares can be Black and White LACE, COLLARS, registered. By Order of the Court of Directors.

> G. E. NOBLE. Chief Manager. Hongkong, 25th January, 1869. TOEST SCOTCH WHISKY, IN ROUND BOTTLES. CUTLER, PALMER & CO'S SHIPPING

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> PERSEVERANCE LODGE OF HONGKONG No. 1165.

REGULAR MEETING of the above A. LODGE will be held in the FREE-MARONS' HALL, Zetland Street. TO-MORROW EVENING, the 16th inst., at 5 for 5.30 P.M. precisely. Visiting Brethren are cordially Hongkong, 12th February, 1889.

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Persons unable to attend School by day. For Terms, &c., apply to THE HEAD MASTER. Hongkong, 14th February, 1889, THE PUNJOM AND SUNGHEL DUA BAMANTAN MINING COMP. NY.

LIMITED. NYOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRAof the Punjon and Sungher Dua Saman-Queen's Road Central, Hongkong, on MON. place under the above Scrip Certificates will be DAY, the 25th day of February, 1889, at recognized by this Company. 8 o'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON, when the subjoined resolution will be proposed Should the resolution be passed by the re- 351 quired majority it will be submitted for confirmation as a special resolution to a Second

Extraordinary Meeting which will be sub-

sequently convened.

RESOLUTION. That the Capital of the Company be increased to the sum of \$600,000 legally current in the Colony of Hongkong by the creation of 20,000 New Shares of \$10 each. Subject increase of Capital, all New Shares shall be on Board H.M.S. Imperieuse will take place offered to the Members in proportion to NEXTTUESDAY AFTERNOON, the 19th the existing Shares held by them, and such instant. Those invited are requested to accept offer shall be made by notice specifying the this notice. number of Shares to which the ilember is entitled and limiting a time within which the offer if not accepted will be deemed to bedeclined, and after the expiration of such time or on the receipt of an intimation from the Member to whom such notice is given that he declines to accept the Shares offered, such Shares shall be dealt with by the Directors in their discretion. Dated the 14th day of February, 1889:

By Order of the Board, A. O'D. GOURDIN. Secretary. ONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION. WEEKLY SPOON COMPETITION,

800 YARDS, 10 SHOTS. ENTRANCE FEE 10 Cents, payable on the Captain Hall, will be de-patched for the above Ground. One Sighting Shot allowed, NEXT Ports TO-MORROW, the 16th instant, at SATURDAY, 16th Feb., 4 o'clook. Carbines allowed Two Shots extra. On Thursday Afternoons the Range is reserved for Practice at 800 and 900 Yards. A. SHELTON HOOPER. Hon. Secretary.

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Hongkong, 11th February, 1589.

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TERMS OF SALE. - As Customary. G. R. LAMMERT, Hougkong, 15th February, 1889. IN THE SUPREME COURT OF

HONGKONG. IN BANKRUPTCY

NTOTIUE.—CHOONG E SAM, of Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, having been adjudged Bankrupt under a Petition for Adjudication filed in the Supreme Court of Hongkong in Bankruptey on the 30th day of January, 1889, is hereby required to surrender himself to ALERED GASCOVNE WISE, Esquire, the Acting Registrar of the said Court at the FIRST MEETING of CREDITORS to be held by the said Acting Registrar, on TUESDAY, the 26th day of February, 1889. at 11 o'clock in the Forencon.

The said ALFRED GASCOYNE WISE, Esquire, is the Official Assignee. A Public Sitting will hereafter be appointed by the said Court for the said Bankrupt to pass his Final Examination and to make application for his discharge, of which sitting notice will be given in the Hongkong Government

At the First Meeting of Creditors, the Acting Registrar will receive the Proofs of the Debts of the Creditors, and the Creditors who shall have proved their Debts respectively, or the majority in value of the said Creditors, are hereby directed to choose at such Meeting an Assignee or Assignees of the Bankrupt's Estate and Effects to be called the Creditors'

Dated the 14th day of February, 1889. HENRY J. HOLMES. Solicitor in the Bankruptoy. HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB. THE STEWARDS request the Pleasure

of the PRESENCE of the LADIES at the Grand Stand and Enclosure during the Races on the 20th, 21st, and 22nd instant. H. J. H. TRIPP. Clerk of the Course. Hongkong, 15th February, 1889.

HANDELS-REGISTER. CANTON. ER Gesellschafter THEODOR VON PUSTAU ist mit dem 1. Januar, 1889, aus der offenen Handelsgesellschaft PUSTAU & Co. ausgeschieden.

Eingetragen, Canton 12ten Februar, 1889. Kaiserliches Konsulargericht, J. No. 219.

HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. THE ORDINARY HALF YEARLY MEETING, or SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Company's Hotel, on FRI-DAY, 8th March, 1889, at HALF-PAST THREE o'clock in the Afternoon, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of the Accounts of the Company to 31st December, 1838, with the Report of the Pirectors and to discuss any PREMIER . CHAMPAGNE matters that may be competently brought before the Meeting. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company

> March next, both days inclusive. R. LYALL, Hongkong, 15th February, 1889. HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY,

> will be CLOSED from the 23rd instant to 8th

LIMITED. NOTICE. OUSTOMERS are requested to SETTLE

By Order of the Board of Directors. R. LYALL, Secretary. Hongkong, 15th February, 1889. THE PUNJOM AND SUNGHEI DUA

SAMANTAN MINING COMPANY, LIMITED. TOTICE is hereby given that ONE SCRIP CERTIFICATE No. 8.491 to 8,515 for 25 Shares dated 13th February, 1886, and ONE Scrip Certificate No. 8,951 to 8,970 for 20 Shares dated 9th September, 1887, in the above Company in the name of THOMAS JAMES HOUGHTON have been STOLEN or ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING | LOST, and should the same not be produced before the 15th day of March next, New Scrip TAN MINISO COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held Certificate will be issued to the said THOMAS at the Registered Office of the Company No. 9, JAMES HOUGHTON, and no transaction taking

> Dated this 14th day of February, 1889. A. O'D. GOURDIN. Secretary of the above Company. MASONIC BALL. IN consequence of the lamented death of Admiral CHANDLER, the Masonio Ball

is POSTPONED from Friday, the 15th inst., to MONDAY, THE 25TH FEBRUARY. ALF. WOOLLEY, Hongkong, 15th February, 1889. to any direction to the contrary that may ITHE CHILDREN'S PARTY that was to be given by the Meeting sanctioning the L have taken place last Tuesday Afternoon

> Hongkong, 15th February, 1889. A N ACTIVE YOUNG GENTLEMAN (22) of good education, just arrived from Europe, wishes a SITUATION immediately.

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General Managers. Hongkong, 14th February, 1889.

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HONGKONG, FEBRUARY 15TH, 1889. THE Kwang-pao, in a leading article which

appeared in its columns a few days ago The LIST OF RESIDENTS now contains urged that it would be sound policy, if more ports were thrown open, as the advent of foreigners would develop trade and add impetus to the mative industries. The greater the number of foreigners in China, he opines, and the greater their in- states that in the wreck of the O. S. S. Co. terests at stake, the greater security and imre-engraved in a superior style and brought up munity will China enjoy from any attack or invasion, which she with her present resources would find it difficult to resist. An or control, is extremely gratifying and oncouraging. The Kwang-pao, it may be remarked, is the only newspaper published in China with which foreigners have no connection, and the way in which it is conducted of the Press in China. The frank recogni- obtaining an appointment under the next adand the advocacy of throwing open more ports, is almost more than was to be expected of a journal whose circulation lies amongst a notoriously anti-foreign population like that of Canton. If we mistake not, however, the editor has travelled sbroad, and he seems to have profited by observation and experience. Hitherto the Press in China has made little beadway, and as regards influence it is as of closely printed matter, to which reference is nothing compared with the Press of Japan, constantly required by residents and those which has become almost as powerful in its own field as the Press of European or Amerioan countries, and this in spite of a very restrictive Press law. Napoleon is reported to have said-" A journalist is a grumbler, a censurer, a giver of advice, a regent of sovereigns, a tutor of nations. Four heatile newspapers are more to be feared than a thousand bayonets." But the position of public critics (to borrow a passage from a lecture recently delivered on the subject in India) " will only. be impregnable if it lies behind the quadrilateral of four-sided truth, practical sense, honesty, and moderation." Amidst much prejudice, ignorance, and froth, it is cheering to find the Press of Japan working steadily up to this high standard. Even in India. where the native pipers are often disfigured by unjustifiably ferocious and rabid attacks doing useful work in forming and enlightening public opinion, as is recognis- same. ed even by that section of the English Press which is most strongly opposed to such shullitions as the Indian National Congress. The Times of India, for instance, in China, Japan &c., with New Table of Fees | says-" The Press in India is the most useful ally that Government can possibly possess. It is the only constitutional opposition in a country where the Government is autocratic and bureautic. . . For some portion, at all events, of the blunders and stupidities and exaggerations of pative criticism the Government are to blame for a want of confidence, where confidence would be as beneficial to themselves as to the public. For the rest-for personal attacks and openly seditious writing-the ship Fred. B. Taylor, Captain Tilley, left here law should provide a remedy, and if the law is not strong enough the law should be strengthened. But neither of the great political parties at home-any more than the European and native communities out here-will stand any more Indian' (lagging not get her off, and assistance had to be Acts." The latter expression refere to

From advices received by the American mail yesterday it would appear that an attempt is being made to throw cold water on the Pacific NAGASARI ..... Messrs. The C. & J. Trading Co. submarine telegraph cable scheme. A San papers .- Mong Kow, the Chinese agent of the deep-sea work; detached from Ohio and Francisco paper, commenting on the Ottawa despatch which will be found in our mail profitable business investment for many years. All the business which it could do million Chinese into the United States, Bri. put on special duty with reference to deep-sea between Great Britain and Australia by the tich America, and Australia, and the present way of Canada would not pay interest on the cost of the cable at any rates which business | Chinese across the frontier is begun the Govern-MELEOURNE... Messrs. Norton, Hargrave & Co. men would be willing to pay for cable service. It would be a great convenience to the British Government in case of war, but as a commercial proposition it is difficult to see bow it could pay until both Australia and LONDON ....... Mr. W. M. Wills, 151, Cannon St. | British Columbia are much more deputy populated than at present. The Atlantic cables pay, but, with Europe at one end and SAN FRAN'CO.Mr. L. P. Fisher, 21, Merchants the Atlantic States of North America at the other, the case is very different from that of a trans-Pacific cable: When there comes a Act.

Lord Lyrron's ill-advised attempt to abolish

the freedom of the Press in India, which re-

sulted in a fiasco. As to China, nothing is

more calculated to further her advancement

than the growth of an bonest and independ-

ent Press.

real commercial necessity for a Pacific cable, The Focehow Eche says: -It is an open secret it will be laid, but until then it is hardly worth while to think of such a thing, That the ordinary commercial traffic would return interest on the cost of the cable is not expected at present, though the revenue would no doubt be considerable. The total the first call on the Consuls. This has been length of cable to be laid is roughly estimated at 8,300 miles, and the probable cost at ed in Chinese social life. An exception to this 8° E E D \$10,000,000. The company sake for an annual subridy from the British, Australian, and Ca- on the Consuls. The matter was at once renadian Governments, amounting in the aggre- ported to Peking, and the recalcitrant official gate to \$375,000 a year for twenty-five years; which on an outlay of \$10,000,000 would be at the rate of Si per cent. Adding to so devontly wished for did not come to this the receipts from traffic, and deducting the cost of working, the shareholders would Vicercy arrived here in the first week of October probably get a moderate return ou their onpital, while the amount of subsidy, asked, \$375,000 per annum, is a very small sum | assumed the functions of his high office; and his to pay for the national and imperial interests existence, whether official or social, is completely that would be served by such a line. That the British Government are favourably disposed towards the project is shown by the assistance they are giving in the surveying of the route, and the Australian colonies are enthusiastic in the matter, their telegraphic communication with Europe by the existing and address with communications addressed to the lines being subject to frequent interruption. Canada would also profit largely All letters for publication should be written on one by being placed in direct communica-

> The P. & O. steamer Pekin, with the outward English mail, left Singapore for this port on Wednesday at 5 p.m.

The children's party on board the Imperiou that was postponed from Tuesday last will take place next Tuesday afternoon. We understand that His Excellency the Go-

attend Madame Korff's concert on Monday next. The Marine Court which has been convened for the purpose of surveying the Pasia will resume its sitting at the Harbour Office, to-morrow

ternor and Lady Des Vosux have promised to

The Occidental & Oriental steamer Arabi with mails. &c. from San Francisco to the 24th ultimo, has arrived at Yokohama, and will leave for this port to-day.

A Madrid telegram to the American papers steamer Priam four female passengers, the ship surgeon, and four of the crew were drowned.

The man who committed the marderous attack on a boatman in the barbour on Friday lest was arrested at Yaumati on Wednesday and expression of this kind by a native paper, ab- brought before the Magistrate yesterday aftersolutely independent of all foreign influence noon. The case was remanded, the injured man not being sufficiently recovered as yet to leave

the American papers says:—It is reported that John P. Young, the managing editor of the Uhronicle of San Francisco, is on the way to gives good ground for hope as to the future Indianapolis to visit Harrison, with a view of tion of the advantages of foreign intercourse, ministration. 10 to come of Young, who is a candidate for the office of Minister to China.

C. O.'s made excellent hosts, and a most pleasant hostile shot at its defenses; commanded same Prisoner, who admitted the theft, was see

An advertisement respecting the postpone 1866.67. available it is doubtful whether the ball would on board and co-operate in the survey for internot have had to be postponed size die.

invitation from Señor D. Fernando Gomes de | carora, to make deep-sea soundings between the Bouilla, Consul General for Spain and Consul western coast of the United States and the shores community presented themselves yesterday morn- a submarine cable on the bed of the Pacific ing (10th February) at the Consulate and wit. Fitted the ship for the work at Mare Island nessed the ceremony of hoisting the Portuguese Yard, California, and began operations Septemserved and the healths of the Royal families of for sounding with pinne-forte wire, at that time thanked Senor de Bonilla for his courtesy and developed its working capacity, sounding the flat staff is now the property of the Portu- I than was formerly done in 500 fathonis, using on Government, the Press is nevertheless guese Government, Segor de Bouilla having rope. Ascertained "True Continental Outpreviously obtained the consent of the Portnguese Minister for China for the erection of the line of soundings from San Diego" to

> A London telegram of the 5th January in the American papers says: - The Peking authorities are getting ready for the discussion of questions with the British Government concerning Chiness emigration to the British colouies. The principal Chinese merchant of Sydney, Australia, has gone to Peking on the invitation of the authorities to give information on the subject. It is not thought that the negotiations can produce a result satisfactory to the Australians. Owing to the announcement of the rejection of the American restrictive treaty the British Foreign Office is reported to have lost all heart and hope in the matter, and are pro ceeding more from a sense of duty to Australia than from any hope of obtaining a prohibitive or even a restrictive trenty with China.

The Japan Mail of the 8th just, says :- The on Wednesday for Cebu, and at 5 p.m., Wednesd that she missed stays when between Futsusaki and Kanonsaki, of Rubicon Point, and took the ground. The captain immediately laid out an anchor with 45 fathoms of cable, but could in the vicinity, and the versel has doubtless town six days, at request of the king, when, the into an opium shop, and lying on one of the did no injury. in her hold. An accident: occurred yesterday at the scene of the stranding. A party in conjunction with Commander Skerrett, comconsisting of Captain Efford and Messrs. Kildoyle, Charlesworth, and Cook were proceeding in a sampan from their own launch to that of the Pacific Mail, when the boat upset, throwing all into the water. Assistance was timely rendered, and they were rescued.

The following Ottawa despatch, dated 8th January, in which we should imagine there is a good deal of fiction, appears in the American ill health, due to a cold contracted while doing Canadian Pacific Steamship Line at Victoria, ordered to navy-yard, Pensacola; as captain of British Columbia, who is here in reference to the the yard; June, 1875, appointed member of head tax on Chinese immigrants, interviewed the Board of Visitors to Naval Academy; October, news, says :- "A Pacific cable could not be a Minister of Customs to-day. He represents that Chinese merchants and others are interested in a scheme for the immigration of a from navy-yard, Pensacola, May. 1, 1876, and tax of \$50 a head is an obstacle. It is feared that when this large movement of ment will at once raise the tax to a prohibitory | 1889. rate. Mong Kow's connection with the Canadian Pacific encourages the belief that the company, which would be enormously benefited by such a migration, is lending its influence with the Government to a scheme which would bring in a revenue of millions for transportation, Mong Kow intimates that a friendly nuder. in Germany, is unfamiliar with his subject. Cards standing with the Chinese Government and a and children's books with coloured illustrations satisfactory issue of the negotiation would re- are printed in Germany because we cannot as yet solt in an enormous trade between Canada and attain to the excellence of the Saxon and Bava-China, and immediately lead to retaliatory mea- rian colour-printers. Efforts to rival their work sures on the part of China against the United are now being made in London; but although

that the Consular body in Foochow is as much saddled with a dispute about the character of their diplomatic relations as the Ministers in Peking. The former's dispute is called the first call" question, and the latter's the "audience" question. It has been held that new officials arriving at their post should make practice for a long time past, and is on all-fours with the etiquette or usage observsound rule occurred last year with the late Tartar General, who refused to make the first call was immediately taken to task and ordered to perform his duty in the matter. Death. however, intervened, and the consummation in the wake of the Tartar General. The last, and is now over five months in charge of his office. The foreign Consuls, however, have not as yet received any notification of his having ignored by those with whom he is supposed to maintain the best of relations.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

SUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS." LONDON, 11th February. SEVERE SNOW-STORM IN ENGLAND

A severe snow-storm has passed over Great Britain and the Continent, blocking the railways as a servant at the Club and that the articles and telegraphs.\_ IRELAND. Father Maciadden and some others have been

Gweedere. FRANCE. The Chamber of Deputies, has passed the Bill for a sorutin de liste.

THE NEW AMERICAN ADMIRAL.

By telegraphic despatches received vesterday from the United States, Rear-Admiral George E. Belknap will succeed the late Rear-Admiral Chandler in command of the Asiatic Station The following is his record, taken from Hamer-

sly's Naval Encyclopedia:-Born in New Hampshirs, January 22, 1832. for them. Appointed midshipman from same State, October 7, 1847; attached to brig Porpoise, coast of Africa, 1847-50; frigate Raritan, Pacific Squadron. 1850-53; Naval Academy, 1853.

Promoted to passed midshipman, June 10 1853; coast survey, steamer Cornein, 1854; acting master sloop Falmouth, 1854-55; sloop Saratoga,

Promoted to master, 1855. Commissioned as lientenant, Soptember 16, 1855 : receiving-ship Ohio, Boston, 1856; sloop Portsmouth, East India Squadron, 1:56-58 commanded a launch with 12-pounder howitzer at the capture of the Barrier Forts, Canton pin, and \$150. She had last seen them on River. China. November, 1856, and assisted in undermining and blowing up the same, the forts four in number, and mounting 176 guns; sloop St. Louis. Home Squadron, 1859 61; command- open it and missed them. The prisoner was a ed the boats of the St. Louis at the first and so- fellow passenger by the same steamer and cond reinforcements of Fort Pickens, April, had a cabin opposite bers. She had a cabin 1861; gunboat Huron, South Atlantic Blockad- to herself and so had the prisoner. Prisoner A Chicago despatch, dated 9th January, in Fernandine, St. John's, St. Mary's, St. Augus-

15, 1862; ironcled steamer New Ironsides, were part of her missing property. special service, 1862, and South Atlantic Block- I ading Squadron, 1863-64, many (27) engage- at 11 a.m., he went to the first floor No. 31 and Monltrie, Batteries Bee, Beauregard, etc.; dah. Prisoner teld him his name was Moss. The Non-Commissioned Officers of the Royal Blockading Squadron, 1864; commanded iron- he had been a passenger by the Ancona Engineers gave a very enjoyable dance at the clad Cononicus in two actions with Howlett from Japan. Witness searched him and found ommissariat Buildings on Wednesday evening. House battery, December, 1864, and at Fort the jewellery in Court on his person. Prisoner The entracce hall, staircase, and upper hall, Fisher, December, 1864, and January, 1865, admitted having stolen the things, and said which served as a ball-room, had been prettily taking the advanced position; after capture of that his father had discovered him, that he had decorated with flags, flowers, and lanterns, and a Fort Fisher, proceeded to Charleston, and was gone to Japan to look for work, but being un large number of guests were present. The N. present at the evacuation of the city; fired last able to get any, he had stolen the things. time was spent, dancing being kept up with great | vessel in Admiral Godon's Special Squadron to | tenced to six months' imprisonment with hard vigour till the early hours of Thursday morning. Havana, in quest of the robel fronclad Stonewall; labour. steam-sloop Shenandouh, Asiatio Equadron,

other column. We are informed by the Hon. commanding flag-ship Hartford, Asiatic Squad-Secretary of the Ball Committee that it is owing | ron, 1807-68; commanded expedition against to the kindness and courtesy of the Lady Patro- Indians on island of Formess, 1867; naval nesses of the concert to be given in aid of the rendezvous. New York, 1868; navigation duty. Hongkong branch of the Soldiers' and Sailors' I navy-yard, Boston, 1869; ordered to command Families' Aid Association in changing the date steam-sloop Tascarora, May, 1872, and sailed of the concert that the ball can be held on the for South Pacific Station; January 1, 1873, or-25th instant. It this date had not been made | dered to take Commander Selfridge and party oceanic canal across the Isthmus of Darien May, 1873, detached from South Pacific Squad-The Amoy Gazette says: -In response to an | ron, and assigned to special duty with the Tusfor Portugal, the members of the Portuguese of Japan, to determine the feasibility of laying flag at the new flagstaff. Champagne being | ber, 1873. Used Sir Wm. Thomson's machine Portugal and Spain being drunk, the community | comparatively untried; improved the machine and zeal towards their interests. We understand I with more ease and scoursey in 4,000 fathems line" from Cape Flattery to San Diego: ran kohama, Japan, via Hawaiian and Bonin Islands. Returning, sounded from Yokohama to Cape Flattery, Washington Territory, etc the Aleuian Islands. Found off the coast of Japan the most extraordinary depths ever known, the deepest water being 4.655 fathoms, or more then statute miles. Invented three different cylinders or cups for bringing up specimens of soil from ocean-bed, which are now in use both in the naval service and the coast survey. and Physical Section of the British Association,

Extract from "Address to the Mathematical Glasgow, September 7, 1876, by Sir William Thomson, LL.D., M.A., F.R.S., President of

I wish I could speak to you of the veteran Henry, conerous rival of Faraday in electro-magnetic discoery : of Poirce, the founder of high mathematics in America of Bache, and of the splendid heritage he has left to America and to the world in the United States Coast Survey; of the great school of astronomera which followed Gould, Newton, Newcomb, Watson, Young, Alvan-Clarke, Sutherford, Draper (father and son) i of Commander Belknap and his great exploration of the Pacific depths by piano-forte day night, got on shore. Leaving the anchorage wire, with imperfect apparatus supplied from Classhe had light and baffling winds, and it appears gow, out of which he forced a success in his own

Senior officer present at Honolulu when rict

occurred on the election of David Kalakana as

King of Hawaiian Islands; landed companies of blue-jackets and marines from Tuscarora and obtained from Yokohama. There are rocks Portsmouth, restored order, and occupied the touched these, as she has five feet of water new government being firmly established, withdrew the force to the ships. Received therefor, manding Portsmouth, the thanks of the king, the legislative assembly, the chamber of commerce, and the consular corps. Detached from Tuscarora, October, 1874; ordered as hydrographie again. inspector, U. S. Coast Survey, December, 1874: asked for other orders, and ordered to command U. S. receiving-ship Ohio, Boston, January, 1875 Commissioned as captain, January 25, 1875; March, 1875, obliged to go South on account of 187%, ordered as member of Board of Examiners of Midshipmen at Naval Academy; detached

> Commissioned (ommodore June 2, 1835. Commissioned Rear-Admiral February 12 He is at present Commandant of the Navy Yard, Mare Island, near San Francisco.

mandant navy-yard, Penascola,

ters are still far sheed of us.

"Britannious," who writes to the Standard to complain of our Christmas cards being printed him the sum that had been stolen. States in retaliation for the Chinese Exclusion fair success has been achieved, the German prin-

POLICE COURT 14th Fobruary.

BEFORE HON. H. E. WODEHOUSE.

THE ROBBURY FROM MR. SCOTT. Kwan Sik, keeper of the Fuk Ki Club, was charged with receiving a gold watch and chain and a gold finger-ring, of the value of \$245, well knowing the same to have been stolen. William Scott, Quartermaster of the 91st Regiment, identified the articles as being property which was stolen by his boy and for

which he was convicted on the 13th inst U Pan, P.C. 281, said that on the 13th inst, man called Ahoi was convicted of the larceny of the articles in court. On the same morning witness, in conseduence of what Ahoi told him, went with him to Kau Yu Fong, where Ahoi pointed out the prisoner as the man to whom he and given the watch. Prisoner admitted having received it, but said he had received it in pay ment of a gambling debt of \$40, and the ring in payment of \$6, and that he would give them upen payment of the money. Witness agreed to pay him the money, and prisoner took him to No. 7, Kau Yu Fong, and gave him the watch. Witness then told him that the watch had been stolen and asked him for the ring. He said his master had got it and he would get it from him shortly. Witness took the watch to the station. He did not arrest the prisoner, but gave orders to have him watched. Later the same day he went again to the house and got the ring from prisoner, and arrested him.

Inspector Perry, who was in charge of the sase, said he wished to call the man Ahoi. Priconer's defence was that he was only employed had been given him by his master to take care off. Aboi would swear that prisoner was the man to whom he gave them. Ahoi had told him (witness) that when the detective me' the pricharged with the murder of Police-Inspector soner the watch and ring were found on him. He said nothing about going to a house and get-

His Worship asked what was the reason that the detective had made that statement. Inspector Perry said be was unable to say He might also add that prisoner would not have been arrested except for further orders given by

Chan Ahoi, at present in Victoria Gaol undergoing a term of imprisonment for the theft of the articles, stated that he gave the gold watch and ring to the prisoner in payment of a cambling debt. He did not tell him they were stolen. When he went with the Police to look for the watch and met prisoner, he had the watch in his possession. They did not go to a house

The case was remanded till Monday next. BOBBING A FELLOW PASSENGER.

An Italian, giving his name as Thomas Moss. was, charged with stealing, money and jewellery to the value of \$480 from a Japanese woman, named Shingi Itaten.

Complainant, a married woman, said she was on her way to Singapore from Japan. She arrived in Hongkong on the 12th inst. On arriving she opened her box in her cabin and missed from it two diamond rings, two gold watch chains, one gold ring with pearl, one gold ring with ruby four plain gold rings, one snake ring, one sear provious evening about seven o'clock while on voyage to Hongkong. They were then kep in her box, which was locked when she went ing Squadron, 1861-62; expedition against used to come into her cabin when she was sea received. sick. He advised her not to lock her door when. she was sick as it was dangerous. He saw every-Commissioned as lieutenant-commander, July thing she had in her box. The articles in Court

Inspector Quincey said that on the 13th inst ments with defenses of Charleston harbour, com- Queen's Road Central, a boarding house. He prising actions against Forts Wagner, Sumter, saw prisoner having his breakfast in the verancommanded gunboat Soneca, North Atlantic He said he was the son of Mr. Musso, and that changes:-

ROBBERY BY A POLICE CONSTABLE. found guilty of stealing ten cents and some articles of small value from two Chinamen, and also of assaulting them on the 10th inst. Inspector Baker, who had prisoner arrested

aid that on the day in question when prisoner came to the station he was drunk: Prisoner was fined \$15 or six weeks' imprison ment, and ordered to pay \$1 to each of the com ininants as compensation.

> SUMMARY OF THE "KWANG-PAO."

> > 12th February.

An argument on dostiny forms the subject of the leader in to-day's paper. Destiny is minion in Italy be made the subject of in admitted to be very vague and mystical, some people believing that it consists in the ward of those who do meritorious acts and are good people and in the retribution of those wh do evil and live an evil life. Others deny this. and maintain that destiny is dependent upon and regulated by heaven alone; that no good or bad works can influence the decrees of beaven-Quotations from the classics are in conclusion given, more or less explanatory of the mysterious dealing of heaven in the direction of the destiny.

The drill of the troops under the control H. E. the Victor will commence again shortly The men were exempt from daily drill during the New Year holidays.

of buman beings.

Sh'so oh'ing early this year, but consequent upon the New Year festivities a large number of the candidates arrived too late for the com-

On the 4th the repairs to the Manchu barracks of the case. were taken in hand at the orders of the General in command of the Manchu forces. The barrack were in a dilapidated state, as they had not been repaired for at least thirty years.

The kidnapping of girls has again commenced with as great vigour as hitherto. The sever measures adopted by the authorities put a stop

A man, got up regardless of expense, walked divans asked for \$3 worth of opium. The drug and a pipe were at once brought to him, but after afew whiffs, under the excuse that he felt upset with him, and has not up to this day been seen their lives.

A man in Honnm got up while saleop and was about to throw himself in the river when he was saved by his friends.

symptoms to indicate a complaint of the throat administered the medicine and cured him at once. Artists: A husband and wife are in such parrow straits that the father sells his son for \$10. The mother, when she heard the news, was so disconsolate that she signified her intense displeasure. sounding; December 1, 1876, ordered as com- man having received the money was driven to despair, and attempted to commit suicida, but he was saved in time and the buyer, hearing o their distress, returned the child and refused take the money back. A man was robbed of his money on his way

home to spend the New Year, and was quite at ; loss what to do, when a benevolent passer-by gave At Wei Chow the bridge was raised and the

river dug to enable large boats to go and come. The sugar care crop at Wei Chow has not been successful this year, and the price of sugar will it is feared, be high.

A girl that was being brought up by a family

and was intended to be, which of age, a wife of

whereabouts can be discovered.

A young lady runs away on the eve of her marriage and has led to a dispute between the two families concerned.

BANGKOK.

On Friday, the 25th inst., a faction fight took place at Poh Chin Soo's rice mill between some Coolies belonging to Windsor Rose & Co.'s Mill and those belonging to the former. The assail. ants attacked the Coolie lines at Poh Chin Soo's mill and burned them down. It is said also that some lives were lost, and as firearms were used it is very likely there were some fatal camulties, but it is impossible to get any reliable information on this point. The fighting was continued next day, and at intervals during the past week, the attentions of the prison-barber, but was, On Thursday a man was shot dead at however, overpowered by several officials and Sampeng durig a riot, but the man held in the chair while the barder rudely hacked who fired the shot was arrested. Some men were off his hair and luxuriant moustache. also wounded in a fight on Chow Sai Road on Thursday night. The matter is turning serious, and the authorities should take steps to keep down these disturbances.

party was given by the German Minister Re- tain via the Canadian route, has fizzled out. Adsident and Mrs. Kempermann in honour of the vices from England state that since the exposure anniversary of the birthday of H. I.M. the Em. of Sir John Pender, chairman of the Eastern, peror of Germany, The 27th was the actual Australasia and China cable companies, the Paanniversary, and on that day the German vest- cific cable has become a dead letter. sels in the river were gaily dressed with bunting. but that day being Sunday, the ball annual subsidy from the British, Australian and was postponed till the day following. The fete was held in an unusually splendid gregate to \$375,000 for twenty-five years. From manner, the Legation building and grounds be- the first there has been strong opposition in ing profusely decorated with coloured lamps. Canada against the Government incurring an and the music and refreshments; and the other outlay representing an investment of \$1.2.0.000 arrangements for the happiness of the guests to encourage a private speculation from which being perfect. Shortly after 9 p.m., the guests | the people of the Dominion would derive no corbegan to arrive, and amongst them we noticed responding benefits. Mr. Gould, M. Lorgeou, Colonel Jacob T. Sir John Pender has shown that the represen-Child, Mr. and Mrs. French, M. Hardouin, and tations made by the projectors in endeavourother officials connected with the different Consulates, as well as many other well known with the facts. The routes has never been aur-European residents. Later on H. R. H. Prince Devawenges arrived and also H. R. H. at which cables will have to be laid. The total Prince Krom Mun Nares Vorariddhi, and length of cable is placed at 8,300 nautical miles some other Siamese persons of distinction, and the probable cost at \$10,000,000. The The guests were received by Mr. and Myg Dominion Covernment had promised the subside Kompermann, in the lower floor of the montioned if the other Governments contributed Legation, as owing to the fragile state of the proportionately; but the strong opposition to Legation building it was not considered safe to adding another burden to the already enormous receive in the ordinary reception rooms: We ltaxation of the country, it is understood, will rehope this drawback will soon be remedied and sult in the offer being withdrawn. he German Legation have as suitable a house as the other Legations. Mr. Flügger, the courteons and active Secretary to the Legation, made himself extremely useful and agreeable as master of Princess Beatrice and probably Empress Frecoremonies and in attending to the wants of derick of Germany will pass April and May at the guests, who numbered about 120. Danging | Biarritz. The French Government will order commenced about 10 o'clock and was kept up two squadrons of war ressels to act as an escert with great spirit till 12 o'clock, when supper to the royal party. was served upstairs in a very sumptuous style. which did great credit indeed to the good taste and liberality of the esteemed host and hostess. Daring supper H. R. H. Prince Devawongse proposed the health of H. I. M. the Emperor of fore the Tipperary court to answer charges Germany, which was received most outhusias | under the Crimes act, were called, defoudants tically, the Band playing the National Anthem; failed to answer and the court issued warrants Afterward Mr. Kempermann proposed the for their arrest. health of H. M. the King of Siam and all his treaty allies, which was also enthusiastically received amid the strains of the Siamese National-Anthem. Colonel Child then said a few words in praise of Siam, which he postically called the searl of Asia. After suppor dancing recommenced with renewed vigour and the party separated about Sam, all highly pleased with the

## THE AMERICAN MAIL.

The Pacific Mail steamer City of Peking, Captain Seabury, bringing the American mail, with dates from San Francisco to the 15th ultime, arrived here vesterday afternoon. The following telegrams are taken from Californian ex-

A BRILLIANT WEDDING. LONDON, 5th January. The marriage of Hon. Edward Stanley, son of the Governor-General of Canada, to Lady Alice Mostague, daughter of the Duke of Manchester, took place at the Guard's Chapel to-day. The Prince of Wales and family, the Duke of Cambridge, the Duke and Duchess of Teck and an aristocratic company were present. rector of Hatfield, who is a son of the Marquis of Salisbury, officiated. Beautiful presents were then appointed Christians to the principal offices. Khair Singh, an Indian Police Constable, was received from Queen Victoria, Empress Frederick of Germany, and other royal personages. THE BALT SYNDICATE.

> LONDON, 5th January. The Sheffield Independent says: - An agent o the great English sult trust, who visited the United States to see manufacturers, has reported so satisfactorily that he will be sent ou again to make definite propositions whereby syndicate hopes to secure the whole of the sal works on the American Continent.

GLADSTONE'S LETTERS. LONDON, 7th January A dispatch from Naples to the Daily New save: - Gladstone, in a letter to the Rome correspondent of the Tablet, says :- 'I feel certain that I have not written any words recommending that the restoration of the Pope's temporal do ternational arbitration.

TORONTO, 7th January. To the Secretary of the Toronto, branch of the Imperial Federation League, Gladstone writes:- "In the prospective, the first place is held by the great and urgent Irish question but I must assure you that I would view with kenzie for publishing his book on the case of the utmost satisfaction throughout the British Empire, that which in the case of Ireland is my daily care and interest, to obtain a more thorough and substantial union of the different countries and peoples paying allegiance to her Majesty." GEFFOREN'S BELBASH.

LEIPSIC. 7th January. It is stated here that Professor Geffeken was released on the ground that he was not accountable for his action. BERLIN, 7th January.

ests of Germany to concess from foreign countries, the evidence was not sufficient to show that he was aware of the nature of his revelations. The court therefore abandoned the prospection and ordered that the Treasury pay the costs BERLIN, 7th January.

On the Bourse to day prices suffered a sharp fall owing to an unfounded rumour that Prince Bismarck bad resigned the Chancellorship in consequence of the Geffeken affair. NACEOW ESCAPE OF A RUSSIAN PRINCESS.

ST. PETERSBURG, 7th January. off, attempted to cross the railroad track when beseeching them not to take such a step because to kidnapping for a time, but it has broken out a rapidly approaching train struck the sleigh it would seriously impair her position and inteand killed the coachman. The Princess was rests in Germany. This letter was written at hurled to the middle of the track, where she Osborne on the Queen's letter paper. The Emlay senseless, and the train passed over her but press indicated further that Mackensie wrote the BHIPPING CASUALTIES.

> LONDON, 8th January. Eevers weather is reported on the Black Sea. FIGHTING ARTISTS. LONDON, 7th January.

Parisian artist, called Whintler a liar and co- royal circles for patronage and position could ward. Whistler retaliated by knocking Stott disregard such a request. A man in the city behaved in a way as if he down. Whistler has written a humorous ac- A prominent surgeon who refused to allow his had lost his a nees, but a doctor finding out the count of the affair. Stott's grievance is that he name to be quoted said to-day :-- "It will be hard was unfairly treated by Whistler when that gen- to convince the people that the college was tleman was President of the Royal Society of actuated by motives of professional honour and HUNDREDS OF SLAVES PREED.

> ZANZIBAR. 7th January. Company, on New Year's day presented hun- press Victoria, backed by our Queen, almost dreds of slaves papers giving them their freedom. went down on her knees to ward it off. Yet the IN FAVOUR OF PERE TRADE. LONDON, 7th January. The Manchester Chamber of Commercs to-day

EXPLOSION AT THE ROYAL PALACE. MADRID.

MADRID, 8th January. intense alarm to the Queen and her retinue and affair, I think the resolution might have been the officials in attendance. The concussion was suppressed." felt throughout the entire neighbourhood and Queen: Fragments of the peterd were found a few days since, saking him to put a step to

their son, has disappeared, and no traces of her near the servants' quarters, and it is suspected that some member of her Majesty's household was in league with persons who planned the outrage. A scoret investigation is in progress and further outrages are anticipated. Senor Sagasta was engaged in the Cortes when

the explosion occurred. He was hastily summoned, and on his arrival was immediately given an audience by the Queen. SUFFERING CROFTERS. LONDON, 8th January.

The Crofter population of the Island of Liewes. Sectland, is suffering for lack of food. The potate and other crops are exhausted, and the people are on the brink of starvation. MB. HARRINGTON OBJECTS TO THE GAOL

Duntin: 9th January Edward Harrington, M.P., when removed to his present prison quarters, refused to submit to THE PACIFIC CABLE. OTTAWA, 10th January.

There is little doubt now that the much-talked-of Australian-Canadian Pacific cable, which On Monday, the 28th January, an evening | was to connect India, Australia and Great Bri-The company was sudeavouring to secure an

Canadian Governments, amounting in the ag-

ing to float their schema are greatly at variance veyed, and it is impossible to estimate the denth

LONDON, 10th January. It is officially announced that Queen Victoria.

FAILED TO ANSWER. DUBLIS, 10th January. When the cases of Dr. Tanner, Mr. Condon and John O'Connor, summoned to appear he-

A MERE THIFLE-THE DUCKESS OF MARL-

New York, 10th January. A petition was made to Surrogate Ranson by Robert Sewell, representing the Duchess of Marlborough, nee Mrs. Louis & Pammersley, for an order requiring the executors of her former husband's estate to may his client \$300,000. brilliant and successful entertainment they had The Duchess in her patition for this allowance. stated that the income of the estate in the hands of the executors was \$350,000 a year. She also asserted that she was entitled to this sum whether her former busband's will was admitted to probate or not. The Duchess intends to use 8150.000 of this sum in purchasing a residence, and the balance to defray expenses and sustain the rank and social position which she has assumed. Decision was reserved.

THE MASSACRE IN UGANDA. ZANZIBAR, 11th January. Advices from the interior say that in October Mwanga, King of Uganda, plotted to destroy his entire body guard, his intention being to abandon them on an island in Lake Nyanza, where they would starve to death. The guards, who had been warned of the King sintentions, refused to enter the cances, which were to convey them to the island, but returned to the capital and made an sttack on Mwanga's palace. The King fled to escape the fary of the guards, and his brother, Kiewawa, was enthroned in his stead. Kiewawa

Mohammedans. The Arabs barned the English and French mission stations and killed many converts to Christianity. The mision boat Election, in which some persons who had been converted by Freuch mission aries were fleeing, was struck by a hippopotamus and sunk, and five converts were drowned. Many letters for Emin Bey and Henry M Stanley were destroyed by the burning of the missionary stations. The missionaries reached Usambyle to safety. The Msalala depot is safe. Mwanga is a prisoner at Magu. He has appealed to the English missionaries for assistance. The Arabs have written to Missionary McKay,

This enraged the Arabs, who murdered many of

the Christian officials and replaced them with

extinction of all mission stations in Cantral Africa in revenge for England's anti-slavery. policy. They have proclaimed Uganda a Mohammedan kingdom. THE CENSURE ON DR. MACKENZIE LONDON, 11th January. The Royal College of Surgeons, by a vote of 1 to 2, passed a resolution censuring Dr. Mac-

expiting in their triumph and prophesying the

the late Emperor Frederick. LONDON, 12th January. The keynote has been struck for another big fuss about Morell Mackenzie, which next weel will be the absorbing topic in the English and German papers, and sink the Morier incident out of sight. It involves a shocking snub to royalty, and is probably unprecedented. Last night the official announcement was made in a quiet way that the Royal College of Surground The Reichsunzeiger says the court held that had adopted a resolution severely censuring although the initial inquiry showed sufficient | Mackenzie for publishing his book about the reasons for assuming Geffcken had published in-lillness of the German Emperor. This great The examinations for Hsin ta'ai came off at formation which it was necessary for the inter- blow is struck at Mackenzie by his own college, and amounts to a notification to the famous throat specialist by the most powerful and dis-

tinguished body of medical men of England that

Mackensie got wind of the intended rebuke

they want nothing more to do with him.

by a notice to appear before the council of the college and defend himself against the charge of a breach of professional etiquette. He paid no attention to the summons so far as putting in an appearance was concerned, but invoked the direct interference of Empress Frederick and the Queen to head off the resolution of censure. The Empress wrote a letter to the college, through Princess Lieven, while sleigh-riding at Chark- | Sir Spencer Wells, who proposed the resolution book at the solioitation of herself and the Queen, and that any censure passed on him must necessarily reflect on them. This letter was read to the college, and yet in the teeth of such powerful During the past fortnight many sailing vossels royal persuasion they threw Mackensie overboard he ran out of the room, taking the opium along have been wrecked, and over 100 seamen have lost and sided with the German doctors. The letter has not been mede public yet, but surely will be when the matter becomes the subject of controversy in the papers. The great wonder will be In the Hogarth Club last night, Stott, a how such doctors as depend in a great degree on

> not by an attack of professional jealousy. That is undoubtedly at the bottom of it Few people outside the profession realize what a blow this Mackensie, agent of the British East African is to Mackensie, and particularly when the Emvote of the college lacked only two votes of being manimous. In my opinion the Empress bungled as badly in heading off this move as avowed itself unalterably in favour of free trade. Mackensie did in publishing the book. If, instead of writing the letter to the college, she had quietly called Bir Spencer Wells and one or A petard was exploded this afternoon on the two other prominent men to Osborne and made staircase of the Royal Palace, causing the most the matter a personal affair instead of a college

> The Empress Frederick has such a hold on rumours quickly spread that a number of lives popular sympathy here just at present that the had been sacrificed. Investigation, however, publication of the facts will probably cause the proved this was not true. The windows in that tide of public feeling to flow toward Mackensie. part of the palace were shattered to atoms and The Empress feels persecuted enough by the their frames rent. The explosive charged with course of events in Germany without an addiganpowder, was fired by some malicious person tional burden from our people. It is known that who meant to inflict personal injury on the she personally wrote to her non, the Emperor.

betrothal of Princess Louise, sister of the Empress, to Prince Leopold of Prusis. THE BRADFORD MYSTERY. LONDON, 11th January.

The milkman arrested for the murder of the sight-year-old boy John Gill has been acquitted. DEATH OF GAVAZZI. LONDON, 11th January.

Alessandro Gavazzi, the anti-Popery lecturer, THE GERMAN EMPIRE.

BERLIN, 14th January. The ceremony of opening the Landtag to-day was conducted with great pomp. . The Ministers of state, court dignitaries, diplomata and many Generals were in attendance. When the Emperor entered the White Hall he was enthusiastically cheered. The Emperor in his speech declared that all the foreign relations of the country were friend-

y. He said that during his recent visits to friendly sovereigns he gained the conviction that Gormany might confidently cherish the hope of peace. The continued blessings of peace were shown in a gratifying manner by the improved economic situation of artisans. The financial position of the country was estisfactory The increase of 200,000,000 marks in the savings banks show that trade has improved. The satisfactory character of the finances had enabled the

Government to further reduce taxation. Among the measures announced by the Emperor are bills to further increase the emoluments of the plergy of all denominations; improve the position of touchers in elementary schools; having regard for admittedly satisfactory results, and the development of railways. The assignment of extraordinary resources to further extend them will be asked. Credit will be asked for the relief of sufferers by floods in 1888.

The speech was frequently applauded. Bismarck was not present. The Emperor was hearticheered as he left the chamber. The upper bonse of the Prussian Diet was opened to-day with patriotic addresses by the President and Vice-President. Enthusiastic theers were given for the Emperer.

MORFALLY WOUNDED IN A DUEL. Panis, 14th January. Rochefort, editor of Untransigeant, fought a duel with Lissag Ray, editor of La Bataille, tolay with swords. Lissag Ray received a mortal vound. The latest news is that Rochefort is also wounded, but not dangerously.

GOLD IN QUEENSLAND. LONDON, 14th January. The yield of gold in Queensland for 1888 was \$26,000 ounces, an increase of 27,000 ounces over helyield of 1887.

EMPRESS VICTORA. NEW YORK, 14th January. A cable special to the Mail and Express from London says :- It is reported that the Downger

Empress Victoria of Germany intends to pubish a book in defence of her late husband, Kaiser Frederick, whose name is being troated with small respect or justice by the present Kaiser and Chanceller. In this work the great ideas of Fredorick, which have accompanied he greatness of Germany thus far, and would have carried her still farther toward the most plendid schievements of her destiny. The present Kaiser, however, insiste that the mannwript shall be first submitted to his perusul This means, at least, the excision of some truths which are extremely unwelcome to Wilhelm IL s well as to Prince Bismarck. The probability s that the Kaiser will persunds his mother gainst publishing the book at all.

The room in which Kaiser Frederick died stated to have been completely dismantled. Nothing remains to tell of the noble sufferer's resence but a cross on the wall and an inscripion recording the date of his death. This is carked contrast with the death chamber of Kaier Wilhelm I., which is carefully preserved exctly as it was when the Kaiser died. lowager Empress Victoria is desirous of buying n estate in England, instead of living in her sative country. In this she is much opposed by

STANLEY AND EMIN BEY. LONDON, 5th January.

Information was received this week by the Smin Bey Relief Committee, which includes reports from a sergeaut of the old Egyptian Army, who for several years has been a prisoner East Borneo Planting Company, Limited—\$55 t Leopoldville confirms the opinion of several Cruickshank & Co., Limited-350 per share, Published at SANDARAN on the 1st of each earling African explorers that Stanley was the White Pashs in Behr el Ghasel, and was at Bonsilya on the Upper Aruwimi on August 17th hit he set off at the latter date either to exlore the Makus or to cross the continent oward Lake Chad or the Upper Benue. A large expedition of the African Lakes

company has successfully accomplished the task f ascending the Zambesi and Shiri to reach the cane of the recent troubles at the head of Lake SUARIM, 5th January.

One of Osman Digna's lieutenants, who deerted his leader, has arrived here. The deserer reports the rebels enraged with Osman Digna or seising their effects and wives. He gave as reason for such a course that the rebels chewed obacco, which was contrary to the precepts laid lown by the Mahdi. He also reports 2,000 derishes at Handoub, squabbling with Osman conerning the evacuation of the place, the majority f the dervishes being desirous of retiring from he town. The deserter declares that Emin Bey ins been cap ured and is a prisoner at Khartoum. where he was badly treated by his captors.

THE PIGHTING IN SAMOA. AUCKLAND (New Zealand); 5th January. Advices from Samon say the German man-ofvar Olga lost twenty men killed and thirty rounded out of a party of 120 men sent to assist Camanese against Mutasfa. The Germans were compelled to retreat to their boats. The comusuders of the British and American men-of-war received an intimation of the Germans' intentions, but they remained inactive.

BERLIN, 6th January. Official advices from Apia confirm yesterday's collowers and the Germans. On December 18th Halphong.... he German gunboat Adler, with the German Consul on board, proceeded to Lanly, Mutasia's phief position, with the intention of negotiating for disarming the insurgents, in consequence of the lestruction of German property and isolated Ger nan settlements. A party of men were landed While on the way to the Vailele plantation they were suddenly attacked by the rebels, led by an American named Klein. The Olga, Adler, and ober landed more men, who succeeded in repelling | Shanghai ..... he natives and destroying some villages. Lieucount Sieger and fifteen men were killed. Lieutenants Spengler and Burchard and thirtyix men were wounded. Other accounts state that the Germans retired to Vailele and held i against the greater odds until re-enforced. Mutasta's loss is ten killed and thirty wounded. The Germans bombarded Vailele, Letoga, Lany Mataga, and Matafas.

Mutaafa now holds a strongly entrenched position near Apis. The European women and children have been placed on board the men-ofwar. Business is at a standstill. Mutaafa has obtained a supply of ammunition and declares himself ready to appear before the commanders of the British and American men-of-war.

LUMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE. THURSDAY, 14th February. EXPORT CARGOES.

Per German steamer Hesperia, miled on the 8th February -- For Havre-20 cases cantharides, 17 cases human hair, 3 cases silks, and 2 cases umbrellas. For Havre option Hamburg-421 rolls matting, 100 cases star-aniseed, 60 cases essential oil, 4 cases silks, and 1 case sundries. For Hamburg-84 packages rattan-core; 50 bales feather, 40 cases essential oil, and 26 packages sundries. For Hamburg option Antwerp 7 packages merchandise. For London-40 poxes essential oil.

Per steamship Batovia, sailed on the 9th February :- For Kobe-30 flasks quicksilver, and 18 packages merchandise. For Yekohama -40 flacks quickeilver, and 1,513 bags augar. For Victoria—1,720 bags rice, 30 cases tea, 27 poxes opinin, and 989 packages merchandise. For Vancouver-3 boxes opium, and 262 packges merchandise. For San Francisco-451 page coffee, and 41 bales gunnies. For Portland -7,550 begs rice, 200 bales gunnies, and 672 packages merchandise. For Montreal-I packge tea and dates. For Seattle-1,500 bags rice, and 192 packages merchandise. For Port Fownsend-2,000 bags rice.

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"PARTHIA." \$167 Tons Register, Wallace, Commander, will be despatched for VANCOUVER, B.C. VIA KOBE AND YOKOHAMA, on THURS. DAY, the 7th Merch, at THERE P.M. To be followed by the Steamship "ABYS. SINIA," on the 4th April. Connection will be made at Yokohama with

Steamers from Shanghal and Japan Ports and at Vancouver with San Francisco and Pacific Coast Points by the regular Steamers of the Pacipio Coast STEAMSHIP COMPANY LOMBO, PONDICHERRY, MADRAS, and other Staamers. Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic Registry ceases at 4 P.M.

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Feb., 1889. (Parcels | are not to be sent on the 6th March on board: they must be left at the Agency's All Parcels must be sent to our Office and Office.) Contents and value of Packages are should be marked to address in full; and the same will be received by us until 5 P.M. the Coin, or Jewellery, and, where Registration has For further particulars, apply at the Com- day previous to saiking. For information as to Passage or Freight,

ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Hongkong, 11th February, 1889. STEAM TO SHANGHAI.

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HE A. I. British Bark "JOHN NICHOLSON." W. Quine, Master, will load here for the above Ports, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, 24th December, 1888. FOR NEW YORK. THE 3/3 L. I. L. American Ship

"STATE OF MAINE," [336 | G. Smull, Master, will lead here for the above Port, and will have a quick despatch. For Freight, apply to PUSTAU & Co.

Hongkong, 20th December, 1888. FOR NEW YORK. THE S/3 A. I. I. American Ship

" PACTOLUS. PEKING" will be despatched for Burnham, Master, shortly expected, will load San Francisco, vit Yokohama, on THURShere for the above Port, and will have a quick DAY, the 21st February, at NOON, taking despatch. For Freight, apply to Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United

PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, 20th December, 1888. NEW TALES.

THE success which attended the publication in the columns of the "HONGKONG DAILY PRESS" Original Tales by WALTER BESANT and WILEIE COLLINS having been much increased France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines by the production of "Colonel Quaritch V.C.," by RIDER HAGGARD, we were induced to commence with the New Year another

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ments. This writer holds the first rank among student of this difficult language absolutely re-Imperial Chinese Castoms, to be obtained on living novelists, and his works are so well quires examples to display the various appliknown that no recommendation is required for cations and equivalents of different words which THE PENNYCOMEQUICKS. which is commenced in To-day's issue of the this work contains more than five times as " HONGKONG DAILT PRESS." Hongkong, 17th December, 1888. WINTER TIME TABLE.

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Hongkong, 11th April, 1883.

MAILS EXPECTED.

THE FRENCH MAIL. The Yangtee, with the French mail of Jan. uary 12th, left Saigon on the 10th, at 10 p.m., ARING CARGO AND PASSENGERS and may be expected here on or about Saturday

morning, the 16th instant. THE AUSTRALIAN MAIL. The E. & A. S. S. Co.'s steamer Tannadice, with the Australian mail, left Port Darwin on the 8th, and is due here;on the 17th instant.

THE INDIAN MAIL. The steamer Japan, with the Indian mail, left at Singapore on the 10th, and is due, here on the at 17th instant.

The P. & O. steamer Pekin, with the English mail, left Singapore at 5 p.m. on the 13th and may be expected here on or about the 18th inst. THE AMERICAN MAIL.

The O. & O. steamer Arabic, with the Ameri-

can mail of the 24th January, leaves Yokohama -to-day, and is due here on the 21st instant. THE CANADIAN MAIL.

To other European points at proportionate The C. P. steamer Parthin, with the Canadia rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers mail, arrived at Yokohama on the 9th instant. The C. P. steamer Parthin, with the Canadian

STEAMERS EXPECTED. The P. & O. extra steamer Khiva left Singapore on the 7th, and is due here on the 15th inst. The Union-Line steamer Highfield left Singapore on the 7th, and is due here on the 15th

The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Prometheus left

The Ben Line steamer Benledi left Singapore on the 12th, and may be looked for here on or-

The D. D. R. steamer Electra left Singapore on the 13th, and is due here on the 20th inst.

POST-OFFICE MOTICES.

A MAIL WILL CLOSE For Shanghai.-Per Amoy, to-day, the 15th inst., at 3.30 P.M. For Singapore, Java, Sydney, Melbourns, and Adelaide .- Per Airlie, to-day, the 15th inst.,

For Straits and London .- Per Gleneagles, to-day, the 15th inst., at 3.30 P.M. For Nagasaki, Kobe, and Yokohama.-Per Ancona, to-day, the 15th inst., at 5.00 P.M. For Amoy and Tamsui .- Per Formosa, tomorrow, the 16th inst., at 11.30 A.M. For Amoy and Manila.-Per Diamante, tomorrow, the 16th inst., at 3 30 P.M.

For Saigon,-Per China, to-morrow, the 16th inst. at 3.30 P.M. For Swatow, Amoy, and Foothow.-Per Haitan, to-morrow, the 16th inst., at 5.00 P.M. For Nagasaki, Kobe, and Yokohama.-Per Khiva, on Saturday, the 23rd inst., at 5.00 P.M.

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